

**TABLE 1. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY AGE GROUP  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS  
1996**

AGE GROUP	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
0-18	374,765	18.7	1,628,022	81.3	2,002,787
19-24	199,246	34.6	377,056	65.4	576,302
25-34	299,823	23.4	981,902	76.6	1,281,725
35-44	202,114	15.6	1,092,902	84.4	1,295,016
45-54	147,561	14.1	901,194	85.9	1,048,755
55-64	82,112	12.8	559,557	87.2	641, 669
65 & OVER	11,562	1.1	1,005,451	98.9	1,017,013
TOTAL	1,317,182	16.8	6,546,087	83.2	7,863,269

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**TABLE 2. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY AGE GROUP AND SOURCE  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS  
1996**

AGE GROUP	EMPLOYMENT RELATED GROUP		NONGROUP/ OTHER		MEDICAID		MEDICARE 65 +		UNINSURED		TOTAL
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.
0-18	1,303,802	65.1	95,402	4.8	228,818	11.4	0	0.0	374,765	18.7	2,002,787
19-24	302,473	52.5	43,164	7.5	31,420	5.5	0	0.0	199,246	34.6	576,302
25-34	844,894	65.9	64,313	5.0	72,695	5.7	0	0.0	299,823	23.4	1,281,725
35-44	925,698	71.5	112,468	8.7	54,735	4.2	0	0.0	202,114	15.6	1,295,016
45-54	795,687	75.9	64,745	6.2	40,763	3.9	0	0.0	147,561	14.1	1,048,755
55-64	425,201	66.3	84,773	13.2	49,584	7.7	0	0.0	82,112	12.8	641,669
65 +	39,652	3.9	9680	1.0	2,411	0.2	953,709	93.8	11,562	1.1	1,017,013
TOTAL	4,637,408	59.0	474,544	6.0	480,425	6.1	953,709	12.1	1,317,182	16.8	7,863,269

**SOURCE:** CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**NOTE:** FOR PERSONS UNDER 65, OTHER INSURANCE INCLUDES CHAMPUS AND MEDICARE; MEDICARE IS A  
SEPARATE CATEGORY FOR PERSONS 65 AND OVER.

**TABLE 3. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY FAMILY POVERTY STATUS  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 65 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

RATIO OF FAMILY INCOME TO POVERTY INCOME	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
<b>BELOW 50 PERCENT</b>	<b>150,542</b>	<b>46.5</b>	<b>172,940</b>	<b>53.5</b>	<b>323,483</b>
<b>50 - 99 PERCENT</b>	<b>137,736</b>	<b>36.5</b>	<b>240,100</b>	<b>63.5</b>	<b>377,836</b>
<b>100 - 149 PERCENT</b>	<b>207,723</b>	<b>43.2</b>	<b>272,834</b>	<b>56.8</b>	<b>480,557</b>
<b>150 - 199 PERCENT</b>	<b>166,823</b>	<b>35.1</b>	<b>308,329</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>475,152</b>
<b>200 - 299 PERCENT</b>	<b>215,306</b>	<b>24.5</b>	<b>663,141</b>	<b>75.5</b>	<b>878,447</b>
<b>300 - 499 PERCENT</b>	<b>225,620</b>	<b>11.3</b>	<b>1,768,210</b>	<b>88.7</b>	<b>1,993,831</b>
<b>500 PERCENT +</b>	<b>201,870</b>	<b>8.7</b>	<b>2,115,080</b>	<b>91.3</b>	<b>2,316,950</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,305,625</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>5,540,635</b>	<b>80.9</b>	<b>6,846,255</b>

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**TABLE 4. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY FAMILY INCOME  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 65 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

<b>FAMILY INCOME</b>	<b>NO COVERAGE</b>		<b>COVERAGE</b>		<b>TOTAL</b>
	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>PERCENT</b>	<b>NUMBER</b>
<b>\$5,000 OR LESS</b>	<b>114,636</b>	<b>50.2</b>	<b>113,922</b>	<b>49.8</b>	<b>228,558</b>
<b>\$5,001 - \$10,000</b>	<b>115,247</b>	<b>38.8</b>	<b>181,823</b>	<b>61.2</b>	<b>297,069</b>
<b>\$10,001 - \$15,000</b>	<b>135,738</b>	<b>41.5</b>	<b>191,285</b>	<b>58.5</b>	<b>327,023</b>
<b>\$15,001 - \$20,000</b>	<b>102,175</b>	<b>34.5</b>	<b>193,618</b>	<b>65.5</b>	<b>295,794</b>
<b>\$20,001 - \$25,000</b>	<b>113,031</b>	<b>28.6</b>	<b>281,831</b>	<b>71.4</b>	<b>394,862</b>
<b>\$25,001 - \$30,000 PERCENT</b>	<b>108,843</b>	<b>32.9</b>	<b>222,212</b>	<b>67.1</b>	<b>331,056</b>
<b>\$30,001 - \$35,000</b>	<b>89,372</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>255,191</b>	<b>74.1</b>	<b>344,564</b>
<b>\$35,001 - \$45,000</b>	<b>119,133</b>	<b>21.7</b>	<b>428,786</b>	<b>78.3</b>	<b>547,919</b>
<b>\$45,001 - \$55,000</b>	<b>109,254</b>	<b>13.9</b>	<b>676,439</b>	<b>86.1</b>	<b>785,693</b>
<b>OVER \$55,000</b>	<b>298,190</b>	<b>9.1</b>	<b>2,995,528</b>	<b>91.0</b>	<b>3,293,718</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1, 305,621</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>5, 540,635</b>	<b>80.9</b>	<b>6,846,255</b>

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**TABLE 5. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY RACE  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 65 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

RACE	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
WHITE NON-HISPANIC	672,316	14.7	3,894,118	85.3	4,566,434
BLACK NON-HISPANIC	249,728	26.8	683,473	73.2	933,202
HISPANIC	270,406	29.6	641,755	70.4	912,162
OTHER NON-HISPANIC	113,170	26.0	321,288	74.0	434,458
TOTAL	1,305,621	19.1	5,540,635	80.9	6,846,255
SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997 U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS					

**TABLE 6. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY RACE  
AND SOURCE OF COVERAGE  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 65 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

RACE	EMPLOYMENT RELATED GROUP		NONGROUP/ OTHER		MEDICAID		UNINSURED		TOTAL
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.
WHITE NON- HISPANIC	3,380,829	74.0	382,482	8.4	130,807	2.9	672,316	14.7	4,566,434
BLACK NON- HISPANIC	486,219	52.1	32,691	3.5	164,564	17.6	249,728	26.8	933,202
HISPANIC	440,600	48.3	34,641	3.8	166,514	18.3	270,406	29.6	912,162
OTHER NON- HISPANIC	290,108	66.8	15,050	3.5	16,130	3.7	113,170	26.0	434,458
TOTAL	4,597,757	67.2	464,864	6.8	478,0140	7.0	1,305,621	19.1	6,846,255

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**NOTE: PERSONS UNDER 65 COVERED BY MEDICARE ARE IN THE “OTHER” GROUP IN THIS TABLE**

**TABLE 7. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY RATIO OF FAMILY INCOME  
TO POVERTY INCOME  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 19 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

RATIO OF FAMILY INCOME TO POVERTY INCOME	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
BELOW POVERTY	112,297	35.5	203,718	64.5	316,015
BELOW 133% POVERTY	43,257	34.8	81,079	65.2	124,336
133% POVERTY PLUS	219,211	14.0	1,343,225	86.0	1,562,436
TOTAL	374,765	18.7	1,628,022	81.3	2,002,787
SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997 U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS					

**TABLE 8. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES  
IN COMPANY AT JOB HELD AT ANY TIME DURING THE YEAR  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 65 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
SELF-EMPLOYED	78,053	27.1	210,297	72.9	288,350
< 10 EMPLOYEES	163,211	37.2	275,153	62.8	438,364
10-24 EMPLOYEES	101,059	27.4	268,155	72.6	369,215
25-99 EMPLOYEES	82,671	14.6	484,640	85.4	567,311
100-499 EMPLOYEES	77,641	13.3	508,343	86.8	585,984
500-999 EMPLOYEES	28,816	12.1	209,501	87.9	238,317
1,000 PLUS EMPLOYEES	160,236	9.9	1,453,573	90.1	1,613,809
TOTAL	691,689	16.9	3,409,662	83.1	4,101,351

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**NOTE: EMPLOYED PERSONS IN THIS TABLE INCLUDE THOSE WORKING BOTH  
FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME**



**TABLE 9. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY EDUCATION LEVEL  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS 19 THROUGH 64 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

EDUCATION	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
NO HIGH SCHOOL	83,849	43.2	110,160	56.8	194,009
SOME HIGH SCHOOL	101,243	34.1	196,129	66.0	297,372
HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE	374,840	21.9	1,336,449	78.1	1,711,289
SOME COLLEGE	174,607	19.3	730,318	80.7	904,925
COLLEGE GRADUATE +	196,317	11.3	1,539,557	88.7	1,735,873
TOTAL	930,856	19.2	3,912,613	80.8	4,843,468

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997  
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**TABLE 10. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY EMPLOYMENT STATUS  
AND SOURCE OF COVERAGE  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER 65 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

EMPLOYMENT	EMPLOYMENT RELATED GROUP		NONGROUP/ OTHER		MEDICAID		UNINSURED		TOTAL
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.
<b>FULL-TIME &amp; DEPENDENTS</b>	<b>4,003,801</b>	<b>77.1</b>	<b>265,617</b>	<b>5.1</b>	<b>101,816</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>820,862</b>	<b>15.8</b>	<b>5,192,097</b>
<b>PART-TIME (&gt;1,500 HOURS) &amp; DEPENDENTS</b>	<b>127,636</b>	<b>49.9</b>	<b>20,529</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>28,159</b>	<b>11.0</b>	<b>79,259</b>	<b>31.0</b>	<b>255,584</b>
<b>PART-TIME (&lt;1,500 HOURS) &amp; DEPENDENTS</b>	<b>150,373</b>	<b>30.6</b>	<b>66,703</b>	<b>13.6</b>	<b>100,325</b>	<b>20.4</b>	<b>173,867</b>	<b>35.4</b>	<b>491,268</b>
<b>UNEMPLOYED</b>	<b>5,904</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>11,750</b>	<b>15.9</b>	<b>3,724</b>	<b>5.0</b>	<b>52,711</b>	<b>71.2</b>	<b>74,090</b>
<b>DISABLED</b>	<b>22,768</b>	<b>12.9</b>	<b>29,539</b>	<b>16.8</b>	<b>95,020</b>	<b>54.0</b>	<b>28,647</b>	<b>16.3</b>	<b>175,975</b>
<b>RETIRED</b>	<b>66,307</b>	<b>56.0</b>	<b>27,288</b>	<b>23.0</b>	<b>6,365</b>	<b>5.4</b>	<b>18,516</b>	<b>15.6</b>	<b>118,476</b>
<b>STUDENT</b>	<b>13,186</b>	<b>30.1</b>	<b>5,328</b>	<b>12.2</b>	<b>7,737</b>	<b>17.7</b>	<b>17,512</b>	<b>40.0</b>	<b>43,763</b>
<b>HOMEMAKER</b>	<b>201,656</b>	<b>55.1</b>	<b>35,488</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>37,307</b>	<b>10.2</b>	<b>91,686</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>366,136</b>
<b>NON-DEPENDENT CHILDREN</b>	<b>6,126</b>	<b>4.8</b>	<b>2,620</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>97,560</b>	<b>75.7</b>	<b>22,560</b>	<b>17.5</b>	<b>128,866</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>4,597,757</b>	<b>67.2</b>	<b>464,864</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>478,014</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1,305,621</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>6,846,255</b>

**SOURCE: CURRENT POPULATION SURVEY OF MARCH, 1997**

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**NOTE: PERSONS UNDER 65 COVERED BY MEDICARE ARE IN THE "OTHER" GROUP IN THIS TABLE**

**TABLE 11. HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY SEX  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS 19 THROUGH 64 YEARS OF AGE  
1996**

SEX	NO COVERAGE		COVERAGE		TOTAL
	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER	PERCENT	NUMBER
MALE	497,730	20.8	1,899,782	79.2	2,397,512
FEMALE	433,126	17.7	2,012,831	82.3	2,445,956
TOTAL	930,856	19.2	3,912,613	80.8	4,843,468

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**TABLE 12. CHILDREN WITHOUT HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE BY AGE  
AND RATIO OF FAMILY INCOME TO POVERTY INCOME  
NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS UNDER AGE 19  
1996**

RATIO TO POVERTY LEVEL	UNDER 6		6 - 12		13-18		TOTAL
	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.	%	NO.
< .50	30,643	45.2	24,617	36.3	12,559	18.5	67,820
.50-.74	5,494	33.8	5,457	33.5	5,322	32.7	16,272
.75-.99	3,896	13.8	15,576	55.2	8,733	31.0	28,205
1.00-1.24	11,040	28.7	11,626	30.3	15,740	41.0	38,406
1.25-1.49	4,201	23.6	0	0.0	13,610	76.4	17,810
1.50-1.74	10,736	30.6	10,742	30.6	13,581	38.7	35,058
1.75-1.99	12,595	49.6	5561	21.9	7,252	28.5	25,408
2.00-2.49	13,056	34.3	18,869	49.6	6,138	16.1	38,064
2.50-2.99	3,159	8.7	13,524	37.4	19,521	53.9	36,203
3.00 + OVER	26,786	37.5	22,394	31.3	22,338	31.2	71,518
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>121,606</b>	<b>32.4</b>	<b>128,366</b>	<b>34.3</b>	<b>124,794</b>	<b>33.3</b>	<b>374,765</b>

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**NOTE:** THE PERCENTAGES IN THIS TABLE REPRESENT THE NUMBER OF CHILDREN  
WITHOUT INSURANCE OF THAT AGE IN THE PARTICULAR INCOME  
CATEGORY DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN OF THAT AGE  
AND INCOME LEVEL MULTIPLIED BY 100.